



DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Surface Mining Reclamation Permit #70010239, Ellensburg Cement Products

Description of proposal: Ellensburg Cement Products Inc.: Surface Mining Reclamation Permit 70-010239, reclamation plan for an existing 153-acre sand and gravel pit expanding 40-acres to 193 total acres. Excavation will be to an approximate elevation of 1490-feet mean sea level. Reclamation will result in a lake and a portion of the mine will remain industrial.

Proponent: Ellensburg Cement Products Inc.
P. O. Box 938
Ellensburg, WA 98926

Location of proposal, including street address, if any: Ellensburg Cement Products Inc., Ivan Hutchinson sand and gravel pit is located one mile west of Ellensburg, WA. Located in portions of Sections 28 and 29, Township 18 North, Range 18 East, Willamette Meridian, Kittitas County.

Lead agency: Department of Natural Resources

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

[] There is no comment period for this DNS.

[X] This DNS is issued under 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from July 28, 2006.

Comments must be submitted by August 11, 2006

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There is no agency SEPA appeal.
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